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Memo

To: INDOT Contractors
From: Tiffany Mulligan, Director *TM*
Economic Opportunity and Prequalifications Division
Date: 8/3/2010
Re: Counting DBE Credit for INDOT Field Offices

Please be advised that INDOT will count DBE participation for the "**Field Office**" pay item in accordance with the federal regulations under 49 CFR 26.55(e). As of the August 18, 2010 letting, INDOT will consider all field office suppliers that are currently certified by INDOT as DBEs; including Eilts Consulting, Mirich Construction Company, Quality Setters, and Victory Trucking & Supply; as regular dealers (suppliers). Pursuant to federal regulation, prime contractors are allowed to count 60% of the pay item value that these DBE field office suppliers perform towards the DBE goal regardless of how the DBE's participation was counted on previous contracts.

Prime contractors can check INDOT's DBE directory to determine how INDOT classifies a particular DBE and therefore how much DBE participation credit INDOT will allow the prime contractor to receive for use of a particular DBE. You may also contact INDOT's Economic Opportunity Division at (317) 233-6511 for any questions regarding a DBE's status.